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Executive Director-Comptroller  
7E-12 Hqs.

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Bill:

According to [ ] the MAG has been mostly interested in incentive awards insofar as the Language Program is concerned. Therefore, the attached information may be useful to you in today's meeting with MAG. The same information will be included in the yearly report to the Director, which should be completed next week.

*/s/ Bob*

Robert S. Wattles

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Acting Deputy Director for Support  
7D-24 Hqs. [ ]

11 July '72

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Att: Memo dtd 11 July 72 to ExDir-Compt [ ] ExSec, Language Development Committee, subj: MAG Meeting, 11 July 72


11 July 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director-Comptroller

SUBJECT : MAG Meeting, 11 July 1972

To the best of our knowledge the Management Advisory Group has been interested only in the question of the language incentive award program. Attached are the latest figures on this program.

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Executive Secretary,  
Language Development Committee

Atts - Chart, Employees Enrolled Mar 71-June 72  
Chart, Awards Granted Mar 71-June 72  
Statement on the program

Language Incentives

After slightly more than a year of operation, the Language Proficiency Cash Awards Program appears to be doing what it was intended to accomplish. There are now about 200 participants in the program, studying languages for which their components have an obvious need. The heaviest enrollment by far (51 participants) is in Lao. So far a total of \$42,600 has been awarded to 54 employees who have acquired new proficiencies in 15 different languages. For the most part the new proficiencies were gained in the so-called "neglected" languages; over half of the awards were paid to personnel who learned Arabic, Lao, Persian, Turkish and Thai.

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LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY CASH AWARD PROGRAM

March 1971 -- June 1972

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Language	Clandestine Service						Directorate for Intelligence			Support Services				No. En-rolled
	AF	FE	NE	SB			OBGI	OER	COMO	FIN	SEC	SUP		
Amharic	1												1	
Arabic	4		10				1						15	
Bulgarian				1									1	
Burmese		2							1				3	
Chinese							1	1					2	
Czech				1									1	
Finnish		1											1	
French							2	3	7				12	
German								1		1	1		3	
Hungarian				1									1	
Italian								1				1	2	
Japanese							1						1	
Korean		2					1						3	
Lao		49				1			1				51	
Persian			10				2				1		13	
Polish				2									2	
Portuguese								1	5				6	
Romanian				2				2					4	
Russian				6		1		4	3				14	
Serbo-Croatian				6									6	
Spanish							1		15			1	17	
Swahili	1						1						2	
Thai		12							2		1		15	
Turkish			8				3						11	
Urdu			1										1	
Vietnamese		2			1	2			5				10	
Totals	6	68	29	19	1	4	12	1	13	39	1	3	2	198*

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\*The total number designated is 200; FE redesignated one in Lao and SB redesignated one in Polish.

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	AF		FE		NE		SB						OER		COMO		SEC						
	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	No	Amt	
Arabic	1	1000			3	3400															4	4400	
Burmese			1	800																	1	800	
French																2	400				2	400	
German																		1	400		1	400	
Japanese												1	1800								1	1800	
Lao			14	10400							1	600									15	11000	
Persian					2	1200						1	800								3	2000	
Polish							1	1400													1	1400	
Portuguese														1	400		1	400			2	800	
Russian							1	1400									3	1900			4	3300	
Spanish																	4	1500			4	1500	
Swahili	1	500																			1	500	
Thai			5	4600															1	1400	6	6000	
Turkish					4	4200							2	2300							6	6500	
Vietnamese			1	800						1	600										3	1800	
Totals	2	1500	21	16600	9	3800	2	2800	1	600	1	600	4	4800		11	4600			2	1800	54	42600

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36 for \$30,900

5 for \$5,300

13 for \$6,400